

## GOODSELL'S CHURCH ON RECORD

RESOLUTIONS CALL METHODIST  
CONFERENCE "UNCHRISTIAN."

Members of the Church Meet After the Morning Service to Protest Against the Movement to Debar Him From a Bishopric Because of Old Divorce Cases.

The general board of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church, at Seventh avenue and 129th street, through a committee passed resolutions yesterday protesting against the "un-Christian methods employed in the General Conference at Baltimore" in regard to the pastor of the church, the Rev. Dr. Charles L. Goodsell, whose chances for election to the episcopate have been hurt by the stories of his divorce from his wife and of his being named as correspondent in the Foster divorce suit in Providence in 1888.

Dr. Goodsell made no reference to the trouble in his sermons yesterday. The evening service was of a memorial character and was attended by G. A. R. men and an immense crowd. In the morning the church was filled, there being about 1,600 persons present. In the congregation was a large delegation from the Hanson Place Methodist Episcopal Church of Brooklyn, where Dr. Goodsell was pastor for seven years before taking the pastorate of the Calvary Church four years ago. After the morning service the people pressed forward to shake hands with Dr. Goodsell; the crowd quickly formed in line and at least a thousand of those present grasped his hand. The minister's sermon was taken from the text, Hebrews xi., 10: "For he looked for a city which has foundations, whose builder and maker is God." Nowhere did he make particular reference to his own case, although several references to the sorrows and troubles of earthly existence might be stretched to a subjective meaning. "Every man," said Dr. Goodsell, "who has had his vision and has turned away from it, must regret it ever afterward. A man with faith in his heart, no matter what befalls him to-day, looks out upon a great future. I know and you know how we are buffeted here. We have to face both the eternal and the temporal, and it is to the eternal that we look with hope and faith."

After the impromptu reception to Dr. Goodsell was over the official board of the church, comprising the trustees, stewards, class leaders, exhortors, local preachers and the session, all of whom are members of the church, met to formulate resolutions. The meeting continued for two hours, during which most of the men present said their say about the conference and eulogized Dr. Goodsell. It was said that there was no dissenting opinion to the protest, all the discussion being as to the terms in which that document should be couched. Finally a committee was chosen with full powers. This committee deliberated for three hours and a half and then gave out this statement:

"The committee consisting of Messrs. Pullen, Kneass, Wheeler, Bramley, Keys, Norman and Cassell was appointed after a full meeting of the official board of Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church held immediately after the morning service to voice the sentiments of the church and congregation in protest against the injustice suffered by our pastor, the Rev. Dr. Goodsell, by the un-Christian methods employed in the General Conference at Baltimore. The time of Dr. Goodsell's coming to Calvary Church it was fully understood by the official board and many of the members of the church that Dr. Goodsell had obtained a divorce from his first wife; it was also fully known under what circumstances the divorce of action was had and the absolute and unqualified vindication of Dr. Goodsell in the matter. It is a matter of record that the suit which has been so widely advertised and commented upon by some of the organs of the church and the episcopacy and those of their friends who are trying to bring about their election that Dr. Goodsell's exonerations was complete, not only to the satisfaction of the Supreme Court of the State in which the case was tried, but also to the satisfaction of the ecclesiastical court which was ordered to pass upon the same.

Dr. Goodsell from this time has occupied several of the pulpits of the larger churches in the denomination, both in the New England and New York conferences, and has always been held in the highest esteem by his associates. There is hardly a man in Methodism who has enjoyed such continued success or been more efficient in the service of his church. It cannot be questioned that the membership of Calvary Church are a unit in their opinion of the fitness and ability of Dr. Goodsell to fill any place within the gift of the church and that the church would be a great loser if the church at large should deem it necessary to take from them such a beloved and devoted pastor. In an interview with Dr. Goodsell which has appeared in some of the newspapers he has given all that is necessary to convince anyone of his position, and the Methodist Church cannot and will not in any sense set aside the teaching of our Lord and Saviour himself in upholding divorce under the conditions which confronted Dr. Goodsell and which are legal in every known civilized country and State and are and must be the one reason for which no man or woman should be required to continue marital relations.

The statement concludes: "We are not making this statement as a vindication of Dr. Goodsell's integrity of character, for he needs no defense in this respect, but as a protest against the methods of misrepresentation resorted to for the manifest purpose of injuring his reputation in order to advance the interests of others. We deplore the fact that in a Christian body representing the religion of Jesus Christ, there should be illustrated a spirit of willingness to sacrifice the good name of a brother that the cause of others should be advanced.

Dr. Goodsell declined yesterday to go into the merits of the matters referred to by the conference, saying that they had occurred twenty-two years ago, had been fully investigated both by civil and by ecclesiastical courts at that time and that he had been vindicated and the matters forgotten, and he saw no good in staging an argument about them now. Dr. Goodsell said that he had not sought a bishopric and that it had been first proposed by a Californian member of the conference who started off Dr. Goodsell's candidacy with the seventeen votes of that delegation.

There were several delegations yesterday morning's congregation. One of these, the Rev. Dr. J. G. Shepherd of Scranton, a delegate to the conference, was asked to address the official board. Dr. Shepherd is one of Dr. Goodsell's ardent supporters for the episcopate. Dr. Goodsell also has received several letters and telegrams of sympathy and support. One telegram received yesterday was from the Chicago

Ministers Association. It is declared by the pastor's friends that the Board of Bishops are strongly in favor of his election to their body.

The official board held another meeting after the service last night, at which the statement prepared by the committee was ratified. Telegrams were sent to fifteen leading members of the conference at Baltimore informing them in substance that the largest church in Methodism was supporting Dr. Goodsell and calling upon them to treat the pastor with fairness. J. O. Downes will go to Baltimore to-day as a special representative from the Calvary Church. It was said last night that more men from the church would likely be sent to-day or to-morrow. John S. Huyler, who represents the church at the conference, has been informed of the action of the board and asked to do everything in his power to assist Dr. Goodsell.

## A PRISONER, BUT BAIL FORFEIT

Because He Was a Prisoner in Another Court—Complications Over Double Arrest.

This question came up in Essex Market court yesterday: Is a man's bail forfeit when he does not appear for examination because he has been detained unavoidably by a hard hearted policeman who had vouched for his appearance in another court? Magistrate House decided that bail is forfeit.

Morris Koch, 24 years old, of 240 East Nineteenth street, and the night before was picked off a Grand street car on Saturday night for tripping passengers. Rotterdam and Aoket of the Headquarters decided that he was too well known to be at large. At Headquarters he was released in Essex Market court at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. The bond was signed by Lewis Cohen of 380 East Eighth street.

Some time early yesterday morning Koch was taken from a Third avenue car by a detective who had noticed Koch's fondness for other people's pocketbooks. This time bail was hard to secure, and after spending the night in a police cell he was taken to Yorkville court yesterday morning and held in \$500 bail for examination. About the time he was telling the Magistrate in Yorkville how absolutely false was the detective's testimony. Jones of Essex Market was throwing Lewis Cohen's brother out of court because he protested too loudly against the forfeiture of bail.

Just before adjournment in Essex Market Koch arrived from Yorkville and was held in \$1,500 bail on the charge preferred against him by Rotterdam and Aoket. To still further complicate matters both examinations are set for 9 o'clock this morning.

Now, what is Koch going to do? At present he is in Essex Market prison, so Magistrate House has a good chance of getting him first.

## THAW WILL KNOW FATE TO-DAY.

The Court's Decision to Be Filed Before 7 o'clock This Morning.

POUGHKEEPSIE, May 24.—Judge Morschauer's decision in Harry Thaw's case will be filed before 7 o'clock to-morrow morning, as the Judge expects to take a train at that hour for White Plains, where he is holding court. Thaw will therefore know at his usual rising hour whether he is to be free or not. The action taken by Thaw's counsel in arranging with District Attorney Mack for notice before the order for Thaw's removal to Matteawan is signed insures Thaw a few days in which to arrange his affairs in case the decision of the Court is adverse to him.

It is said to be the intention of Thaw's lawyer to try to persuade Jerome to consent to the commitment of Thaw to the State Insane Hospital here or at Middletown. In the meantime Thaw will remain in his present quarters in the Poughkeepsie jail.

Thaw was in a happy and contented frame of mind to-day. The talks he had yesterday with his mother and sister did him good. His mother called on him to-day and attended with him the religious services for the prisoners in the jail. A feature was the singing of Gospel hymns by a choir of twenty pretty young girls. Thaw joined in the singing. The services were in charge of the Rev. F. T. Angeline, a minister of the Dutch Reformed Church.

## GEORGIA WELCOMES JOHNSON.

Democrats Glad of a Chance to Work for Some One Other Than Bryan.

ATLANTA, May 24.—Gov. Johnson of Minnesota reached Atlanta to-night on a delayed train. He is now in conference with prominent Democrats.

The Governor was invited to Georgia by the Young Men's Democratic League, a strong organization which is favorable to the Minnesota man's nomination at Denver. Before going into conference with the league leaders the governor gave a reception at the Piedmont Hotel and met many men prominent in business and political life in Georgia.

As a result of the Governor's visit it is understood that an active campaign will be begun in Georgia in his interest. The Johnson supporters will not work for direct instructions for him, but will strive to send to Denver an uninstructed delegation which will not be unfavorable to him. This delegation will be for Johnson in the event that Bryan does not have enough votes to nominate.

There is no question that there has been a tremendous slump in Bryan sentiment in Georgia in the last year or two and that the Democrats would be glad to have some other man nominated. There is not a Democrat of prominence in the State who will not warmly back Bryan. There is no longer any enthusiasm for the Nebraska. He is accepted as something that is hard to get rid of.

The result in Alabama is significant," said Gov. Johnson. "My friends worked only a few days, but I see that Dr. Cunningham, who announced for me, has been elected one of the delegates at large."

Gov. Johnson goes from here to Birmingham. He is accompanied by Insurance Commissioner O'Brien of Minnesota.

THE VACATION AND OUTING SEASON HERE. Hudson River DAY LINE open. MUSIC.—Adm.

## MAY BEAT BRYAN AT DENVER

FLORIDA'S ACTION SPURS THE  
ANTIS TO RENEWED EFFORT.

They Concede That Bryan Has About 616 Delegates, or 52 Short of the Necessary Two-thirds—The Fight Is to Be Confined to the Southern States.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—Things are looking brighter for the defeat of William Jennings Bryan in the Denver convention, according to those who are keeping up the fight to name a Presidential candidate who will have a good chance of winning. The result of the Florida primaries, in which the Bryan cause went down to defeat, has encouraged them to renewed effort. Up to this time Bryan has 410 delegates, while 260 already selected are either instructed for other candidates or are uninstructed, but counted anti-Bryan. The claim is made that 128 of those not elected yet will be uninstructed. The anti-Bryan leaders concede that Bryan has about 616 delegates, or fifty-two short of the two-thirds necessary to nominate.

From now on, according to the anti-Bryan leaders, the struggle to determine who shall control at Denver will be confined to the South. Maryland, Virginia, the Carolinas, Georgia, Louisiana and Arkansas will be the battlegrounds. Johnson and Gray sentiment is spreading in the South. Nearly all the Southern Senators and a large number of the Representatives from that section believe it would be unwise to nominate Bryan, and some of them have plucked up enough courage to tell him so, a thing which should have been done. It is now admitted, when Bryan came to Washington this winter and a plan was made to sound him as to his willingness to give way to some man who would have a better chance of capturing the Presidency.

The Gray boomers are working quietly and they assert, effectively. To-night labels are being placed on the doors of the hotel where George Gray of Delaware is staying for the Presidential nomination. The statement continues:

"It is well known that the United Mine Workers of America look upon Judge Gray as their best friend outside of the organization. Recognition of this sentiment was shown in the Pennsylvania convention last week when the coal mining counties voted solidly for the Delaware man. That is the reason why the mine workers are so ready to place the nomination of Gray in the hands of West Virginia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Alabama, Kentucky, Ohio, Kansas, Oklahoma, Wyoming, Washington and Colorado if an opportunity shall be given by the nomination of George Gray. Not only is Judge Gray the favorite of the mine workers but he is regarded also by all the other organized trades as a just and generous friend."

"Maryland friends of George Gray are extremely active. Organization of the George Gray League of Maryland is proceeding systematically and rapidly. Already hundreds of business, professional and working men have enrolled themselves in it. It is probable that a permanent organization will be effected this week."

Anti-Bryan people here were jubilant when they read in the newspapers this morning that Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota had shown himself to be an athlete yesterday at Old Point Comfort, Va. The story that he turned two double somersaults in diving from a springboard into the swimming pool at the Chamberlain Hotel will help him tremendously, they say, with a people who have been trained in the last seven years to demand physical dexterity of their popular heroes. Mr. Bryan is no athlete, they say, and no possibility could he make the kind of dive that Mr. Johnson made. And if Johnson is nominated, according to their contention, he would be far better equipped to win the plaudits of the voters than any Republican likely to be chosen to run against him. It is out of the question for Mr. Taft to a athletic stunts, they declare, and while it is admitted that Mr. Roosevelt has turned a few somersaults, these, it is pointed out, are not of the kind calculated to win popular approval.

## GLAD TO DESERT BRYAN.

Pennsylvania Delegates Accepting Opportunity State Convention Gave.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 24.—Many district delegates to the Denver convention have communicated with Secretary Week at State headquarters since the recent State convention. Nearly all of them regard the action of the State convention as superior to "home instructions" and binding on them to stand with the anti-Bryan men at Denver.

Even in districts where the Bryan League put Bryan's name on the primary tickets many of the delegates hold that with no other name on the ticket for the voters to choose this did not constitute a genuine "instruction" and that they will therefore follow the long established Democratic custom of accepting the decree of the State convention as final.

Bryan's angry denunciation of the Pennsylvania Democrats and his effort to rule their State convention have cost him many friends. At State headquarters it is predicted that when the delegates get together there will not be a dozen Bryan advocates among the sixty-eight.

## TRIES REPEATEDLY TO DIE.

Woman Jumps in Front of Trolley Cars and in a Cell Attempts to Strangle Herself.

Mrs. Lillie Miller, 23 years old and well dressed, was arrested at Borden and Star avenues, Long Island City, yesterday evening by the police. The policeman had his attention attracted to her by the motorman and conductors of what is known as the Calvary Cemetery elevated car, who complained of a young woman lying in wait along the road and repeatedly trying to jump in front of a moving trolley car. Several of the motormen were so terrified when the young woman jumped in front of their cars that they could scarcely continue the trip.

At the Fourth street station house the woman refused absolutely to give her address. She was turned over to Matron Smith, who removed everything she had which might possibly be used in trying to end her life, and she was locked in a cell. She had been in the cell only a few minutes when choking sounds were heard and the woman was found lying on the floor of the cell. She had taken one of the loaves out of her shoe and tying it in a slip knot had pulled it so tight around her neck that it cut into the flesh. She was removed later to the Flatbush Hospital for the insane. The police are trying to learn where her home is.

## STABS PRIEST AT ALTAR.

Parishioner Stung by Reproof Drives Knife Into Pastor's Temple and Neck.

St. Louis, May 24.—The Rev. Father Joseph F. Lubeley of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church at Salisbury, a small town in this State, was stabbed before the altar of the church this morning by Joseph Schuette, a wealthy member of his parish.

The priest, seriously wounded, was hurried to this city on a special train and an operation was performed on him at St. Mary's Infirmary. It is believed that he will recover.

Father Lubeley had just finished mass and was talking to members of his congregation at the steps of the altar when Schuette rushed forward with a knife in his hand and stabbed the priest once in the temple and once in the right side of the neck, just to one side of the jugular vein. It took ten men to drag Schuette from the priest and pin him to the ground.

The cause for Schuette's attack is believed to be the fact that the priest had publicly reminded him, so it is said, for having attacked a member of the congregation in the street yesterday.

## WHITNEY SUNK ON FLOOD ROCK.

She Leaves but a Narrow Channel for the Sound Boats.

The big Metropolitan Line freighter Henry M. Whitney, bound from New York to Boston, which anchored below Ward's Island on Saturday night after hitting Hog's Back reef in Hell Gate and then bumping on the jagged rocks along Hallett's Point, was found when the fog lifted yesterday morning to have sunk on the north edge of what is left of Flood Rock, about 200 yards off the Astoria shore and an eighth of a mile below Ward's Island. The Whitney settled down broadside to the reef, with her bow pointing upstream toward Ninety-sixth street on the New York side. She has a heavy list to starboard and lies with her upper deck almost awash. The deck houses and pilot house are clear of the water, and Capt. F. Hone and his crew of eighteen men are staying by the wreck. The Merritt-Chapman Wrecking Company had sixty men at work yesterday lightening cargo and will raise the boat.

Capt. Hone said that the grounding of his vessel was not due to any trouble with steering gear or machinery. He had run into a fog bank, lost his way and hit the rocks. It was almost daylight before the fog lifted enough to make it safe for tugs to go alongside. The wrecking company's tugs Hustler, F. S. Sharp, William E. Chapman and I. J. Merritt and the steam derrick Captain Tom got alongside as soon as possible. Diver Everett went down at ebb tide and made an examination of the Whitney's hull. The tugs and derrick were getting out cargo all day.

The Whitney as she lies makes the channel somewhat difficult. Boats passing have to hug the Astoria shore and don't find any too much room. Light draught craft are not to pass directly in front of the spot where the Whitney lies, and tugs are swung close over the rock by the cross current. When the Fall River liner Priscilla passed up the river yesterday afternoon she ran so close to the wreck that the wash swept over the Whitney's decks.

The Whitney's cargo of general merchandise was worth about \$450,000 and fully insured. The greater part of it is oil in barrels, and other commodities which will not be damaged by immersion. But there may be a loss of \$100,000 to the insurers on sugar, wool, flour and the like. It will cost \$25,000 to \$50,000 to repair the boat.

## CHILD SHOT IN THE STREET.

Not Known Where the Bullet Came From and the Doctors Can't Find Where It Went.

Catherine Hopt, 5 years old, of 402 West Thirty-eighth street, was shot in the left breast last night while walking with her mother through West Thirty-ninth street.

Mrs. Hopt had taken the child for an outing along the riverfront. They were hurrying home just after dark and were passing in front of a piano factory at 530 West Thirty-ninth street when Mrs. Hopt heard the report of a pistol and at the same instant heard her daughter cry out that she was shot. Mrs. Hopt picked the child up in her arms and ran with her to Tenth avenue, where she met Policeman Summers of the West Thirty-seventh street station, who relieved her of her burden and hurried on to the station house.

Dr. Darby of Roosevelt Hospital was unable to find the bullet, which had entered just below the heart. He took the child and her mother to Bellevue Hospital. The Bellevue doctors couldn't find the bullet, but they say that the little girl's courage will probably pull her through.

## AUTO HITS A RESCUER.

Man Who Saved Two Children Badly Hurt—Chauffeur and Companions Flee.

William Jardine, who lives at 447 Sixty-third street, Brooklyn, saw an automobile bearing down on two little girls who were crossing Fourth avenue at Sixty-fifth street, Brooklyn, at 10 o'clock last night. The chauffeur apparently had become frightened when he saw the children in front of him and was not able to stop his car.

Jardine ran out, grabbed the children and shoved them out of the way of the car. At the same time the automobile struck Jardine, throwing him against a tree. The chauffeur stopped the car, along with two young women who had been in the machine, got out and ran away.

Dr. Spellman responded to an ambulance call sent in to the Norwegian Hospital. He found that Jardine had a compound fracture of the left leg, three broken ribs, a bad scalp wound and serious internal injuries. The man was taken to the hospital.

From the number on the car the police learned that it belonged to Henry B. Gue of 578 Twelfth avenue, vice-president of the Dow Tin and Rubber Company. Mr. Gue was not in last evening, but his father told the police that the family had returned in the machine early in the evening and had told the chauffeur, George Finn, to take the car to the garage.

## TO GET BACK \$1,000,000 IN FINES.

President of the Post Office Clerks Brings Good News From Washington.

President Goitra of the National Federation of Post Office Clerks attended the meeting of New York Union No. 16 of the federation yesterday at Schuette Hall, 13 St. Mark's place. It was called to hear reports as to the legislative work done by the officers of the union at Washington.

President Goitra said that under a decision of the Court of Claims in Washington all the clerks who have been fined for a number of years back will get their fines back, by filing their applications with the union's lawyers.

President Goitra said that more than \$1,000,000 would be paid back.

## TROLLEY COLLISION KILLS FOUR

AND INJURES 75 OTHERS NEAR PHILADELPHIA.

Crowded Car, Returning From Suburban Resort, Jumps Rails at Foot of Steep Hill and Crashes Into Another Heavily Loaded Car Standing on Another Track.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—Four persons were killed and seventy-five injured in a trolley car accident to-night on Germantown avenue between Bell's Moore road and Hiltner avenue, Chestnut Hill.

A heavily loaded trolley car filled with passengers returning from Chestnut Hill Park at 10:27 P. M. jumped the track and crashed into one of a group of cars standing at the bottom of the steep hill.

Mrs. Mary J. Wagner, aged 54, of Cornwell post office, Bucks county, is the only one of the dead identified.

The impact was followed by crashing of timbers and the cries of passengers crowded on the cars at the foot of the hill. Passengers on both cars were killed and injured.

As quickly as aid could be summoned the killed and injured were taken to the Chestnut Hill Hospital.

The latter institution was soon overcrowded with women and children with broken limbs and out and bruised bodies.

The dead were later moved to the Chestnut Hill station of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway.

As soon as the police at the Germantown sub-station in Chestnut Hill were notified of the accident they and the crews of the fire companies in Chestnut Hill and Germantown hurried to the scene of the accident to work with the trolley people in caring for the dead and injured.

There is a steep hill at the point where the accident occurred. Passengers on the runaway car said that when the car attained a speed that seemed dangerous the motorman lost control of the brake.

The car sped forward like a bullet from a gun, jumped the track and crashed into the first of a line of crowded cars standing at the foot of the hill.

All the cars were loaded to their running boards on both sides and some passengers were hanging to the fenders. As the southbound car leaped from the rails it shot toward the foremost of the five on the other track.

Men and boys hanging on the running boards were brushed off like flies and ground under the wheels. The runaway car was moving so rapidly that it bounded forward and struck one after the other of the four remaining cars coming in the opposite direction.

Their passengers suffered a like fate. Men, women and children were either ground between the cars or hurled to the street to be caught under the wheels.

Several of the injured are expected to die.

F. G. Crane and his wife of Philadelphia were passengers on the last of five cars standing at the foot of the hill. Mr. Crane gave the following description of the accident:

"The first intimation we had of an accident was a terrific report when the runaway car collided with the fourth car back of the one in which Mrs. Crane and I were sitting. All the cars except ours were piled in a tangled mass and we were thrown from our seats into the aisle.

"I got to my feet, although badly shaken up, and assisted my wife to her feet. With difficulty my wife and I extricated ourselves from the debris and walked back."

The uninjured passengers were quick to respond to the cries of the injured pinned under the debris. Those unhurt carried the less fortunate to the roadside and laid them on the grass. The accident occurred in a ravine with a high embankment on each side.

Physicians from Chestnut Hill and Germantown and other nearby suburban towns were notified by telephone and hurried to the scene and the hospital.

Among the many shocking incidents was that of a little girl who was thrown from her seat and fell under the wheels of the runaway car. Her long hair caught between the hinges of the seat and she was thus held, half suspended at the side of the running rail, until finally she was ground to pieces under the wheels.

## BUST OF KRUGER UNVEILED.

Monument to the Fire Fighter Now Stands Over His Grave in Woodlawn.

A bronze bust of the late Deputy Chief Charles W. Kruger of the Fire Department, who was killed while leading his men into a flooded basement on February 14, was unveiled yesterday afternoon. Many of the captains of the department and many friends of the dead chief were present.

After an anthem by a quartette, eulogies were pronounced by Fire Chaplains Hendel and Knapp and Stephen J. Hannigan, head of the committee in charge. Then the twelve-year-old daughter of Detective Sergeant Robert Monahan pulled the cord and released the American flag which had draped the monument.

The bust rests upon a column of granite. Beneath it is a plate bearing the following inscription:

In Memory of CHARLES W. KRUGER. Who was killed in the discharge of his duty. Erected by his friends.

The monument was erected by private subscription. Those constituting the committee having the raising of the funds in charge were Stephen J. Hannigan, Patrick J. O'Brien, Edward Cole, Thomas J. Norton, Albert Smith, James W. Monahan, James J. Cullen, Robert J. Reynolds, P. J. McKee, Frank Rolke and Frederick H. Cowles.

## STRIKERS VOTE TO ARBITRATE.

Cleveland Trolley Men Will Go to Work as Usual This Morning.

CLEVELAND, May 24.—The street railway men last night voted to return to work pending arbitration of their differences with Mayor Johnson's Municipal Traction Company.

A compilation of the vote to-day shows that by a majority of 29 the men decided to waive their seniority rights in favor of the men employed to break the strike and return to work on Monday while the arbitrators settle other disputes.

To-night the men now employed will vote on whether, if a settlement is effected, they will waive their seniority rights and take chances at the jobs with the strikers. There has been no violence to-day.

## ARCHDUCHESS HAS ELOPED.

Police of Europe Asked to Prevent Marriage of Austrian Princess—London Her Goal.

LONDON, May 24.—According to dispatches from Paris and Cologne, the police of all the European capitals have been requested to watch incoming trains for an Austrian princess who is reported to have eloped. Before leaving her home, it is stated, she told friends she intended to be married at a London registry office.

It is believed she reached London to-day. The discovery of the elopement caused the utmost consternation in the royal household. All the European embassies were immediately notified and urgently instructed to do their utmost to prevent a marriage. The only clue to the identity of the princess is her age, which is given as 25 years.

There are half a dozen Austrian princesses who might be described as about 25 years, including two of exactly that age. These are the Archduchess Marie, daughter of the Emperor's second cousin, the Archduke Frederic, Duke of Teichen, and the Archduchess Elizabeth, daughter of another second cousin of the Emperor, the late Archduke Joseph. Both of these ladies are unmarried.

## NORTH CAROLINA TO GO DRY.

Gov. Glenn Says Majority Will Be 50,000—Five Thousand Men on the Stump.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 24.—Gov. Glenn says that the Prohibitionists will carry the State on Tuesday by 50,000 majority. He says that every county west of the Blue Ridge will go solidly for prohibition. Gov. Glenn has put in the last two months speaking for prohibition.

To-day ministers all over the State delivered prohibition sermons. The campaign has been hot, with 5,000 speakers in the field.

## INNOCENT MAN OUT OF PRISON.

New Yorker Convicted and Sentenced for His Double, Serves 18 Months.

PITTSBURG, May 24.—J. C. White, 55 years old, of New York city, who was convicted of forgery in Greensburg and sentenced to the penitentiary for five years through a mistake in identifying him, was released yesterday after having served eighteen months.

White had never been in Greensburg until he was taken there and tried in the fall of 1906.

When he was committed the forgery is alleged to be James Riley, the exact counterpart of the victim. White owes his exoneration and pardon to Detective Ira L. Berry, who travelled to Michigan to get the proofs which were accepted by the pardon board. Immediately after his release White left for New York, where friends have a position for him.

## CHASED RUNAWAY IN AN AUTO.

Policeman and His Bicycle in the Finish, but as Passengers.

A skittish trotter that was being driven along Riverside Drive yesterday afternoon by Henry Davis of 32 Second avenue, who was on an automobile on the viaduct, threw Davis out of the rig and bolted. Bicycle Policeman Helms chased the horse, sounding an alarm to the numerous vehicles ahead on his whistle.

Helms could not pedal fast enough to catch the horse, so when the runaway turned east through 135th street into Broadway he jumped into a passing auto, bicycle and all, and took up the chase on a gasoline beam.

Gasolene won. At 158th street Helms ordered the chauffeur to crowd the then wild horse over to the curb and he seized the bridle from the rear seat in the tonneau.

## YACHT WANDERER AROUND.

Sticks on Blackledge and Wrecks Tug When Hauled Off.

NEW LONDON, May 24.—The steam yacht Wanderer, with her owner, H. A. C. Taylor, wife and party on board, bound from New York to Newport, ran upon Blackledge at the entrance to this harbor in the fog while trying to make port about 8 o'clock last night.

Mr. Taylor and his party were transferred to a launch and brought to this city, where they spent the night.

The tug Scott and Alert stood by the Wanderer all night and at high water about daylight attempted to haul her into deep water, the Wanderer's propeller assisting.

Suddenly the yacht freed herself and poked her long overhanging stern through the pilot house of the Alert, bursting the tug's steampipe and wrecking her superstructure.

The Wanderer is none the worse for her mishap. She proceeded to Newport when the fog lifted.

## GREEN CROSS ON AMBULANCES.

Change Ordered at Bellevue Because of Protest From the Red Cross.

Following a protest from the Red Cross Society against the use of the red cross emblem on the sides of Bellevue ambulances and those of other allied hospitals the trustees of Bellevue have ordered their ambulances to be repainted